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1896.

DEMOCRACY AND THE PEOPLE
VS.
REPUBLICANISM AND WALL ST.



FOR PRESIDENT,
W. J. BRYAN,
OF NEBRASKA.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,
A. S. SEWALL,
OF MAINE.

DEMOCRAT ELECTORAL TICKET.

ELECTORS AT LARGE.
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DISTRICT ELECTORS.
1st District—N. B. WESTCOTT.
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6th District—A. P. STAPLES.
7th District—H. V. STRAYER.
8th District—A. A. LIPSCOMB.
9th District—D. S. POLLOCK.
10th District—B. R. HARRISON.

FOR CONGRESS 9TH DISTRICT
S. W. WILLIAMS,
OF WYTHE COUNTY.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Honorable Samuel W. Williams,
Democratic candidate for Congress
in the Ninth Congressional District,
will address the people on the issues
of the campaign at the following
times and places:

Pulaski City, Pulaski county, Oct. 5.
Wytheville, Wythe county, Oct. 12.
Petersburg, Giles county, Oct. 13.
Newcastle, Craig county, Oct. 15, Circuit Court.
Marion, Smyth county, Oct. 15.
Gladesville, Wise county, Oct. 27.
Blair, special meetings to be hereafter announced.
Inasmuch as the old parties are divided on the currency question voters of every shade of political opinion are earnestly requested to attend these meetings.
T. A. LYNN, Secy.
J. H. WILSON, Secy.

Public Speaking.

Col. Jack Faw, of Bristol, and others, will address the voters of Tazewell at the court house, Oct. 20 (court day). All are cordially invited to be present, as Mr. Faw is one of the best stumpers in the section, and will tell you something to interest you.

S. J. Thompson,
County Chairman.

Children Cry for
Pitcher's Castoria.

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MARRY THIS GIRL, SOMEBODY!

I have been reading in your paper about several men and women that have been very successful in selling self-heating flat irons, and I concluded I would see what a girl could do. I have worked 12 days and have sold 151 irons and have 278 dollars left after paying all expenses. Everybody was to one and is delighted with the iron and I sell one almost every place I show it, as people think they can't afford to be without one as they save so much fuel and time and don't burn the clothes. I know I can clear five thousand dollars in a year. How is that for a girl?
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YALE CHURCHMAN for '96—Football and rowing.

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How WELL the Democrats of Southwest Virginia gauged the Democracy of the various candidates for the gubernatorial nomination in 1893 is shown by the position now occupied by the two leading candidates for that nomination. On the one hand we have the successful candidate, Charles T. O'Ferrall, now Governor of Virginia, doing all in his power to wreck the party that made him all that he is, politically. On the other side we have that distinguished son of Southwest Virginia, Hon. J. Hoge Tyler, who, though defeated for the gubernatorial nomination, is now stamping the State in his old time style for the Democratic nominees of the Chicago convention. What a difference! The successful politician, too honest to support a cause which will deliver the people of his State and country from the grinding oppression of the money kings of the world; too conscientious to vote for the men who represent the will of the majority of his party, both in State and nation, and to uphold the cause for which, it was his proud boast in 1893, he had voted for six times in Congress. The picture is not fair to look upon. Like the picture of Benedict Arnold, after January 1st, '98, the picture of O'Ferrall, the traitor, will be turned to the wall. But what shall be said of him who is doing his duty as of old, upholding the principles which are dear to the heart of every true Democrat? Shall he be relegated to the shades of oblivion to which O'Ferrall shall be banished? That, indeed, would be a poor reward, and one for which the Democratic party is not noted. He doesn't ask any reward for his services, but the people all over the State should view with chagrin their action in selecting that arch traitor, Charles T. O'Ferrall, for Governor over that Christian gentleman and true blue Virginian, J. Hoge Tyler, who has never been known to sulk (or bolt) when his party called on him. Fellow Democrats of Virginia, let us see to it that we rectify the mistake made in '93, and that our next Governor is not a man who will take his orders from such a man as Grover Cleveland, the king pin of the whole brood of traitors. In conclusion we are proud to say that Tazewell's delegation voted as a unit against O'Ferrall in '93 and has been on his black list ever since.

THE Tazewell Republican says that the NEWS, by endorsing the howling down of Col. Richmond has become the organ of "Mobocracy." Now, if the Republican had published our article on that subject its readers would have seen that the NEWS' position is not what the Republican desires to make it appear. We did say and stick to our assertion, that "when Judge Richmond, or any other public speaker, no matter what his politics may be, starts out with the assertion that all who do not agree with him are anarchists," etc., they deserve to be howled down." But, of course, we did not expect the Republican to agree with us on this subject, for if it quit calling names and confined itself to facts it would soon have on a silver overcoat, but that would not pay as well as its present job. We may be the organ of "Mobocracy," but thank God, it is the same mob that followed Jefferson and Jackson, and of which we have no reason to be ashamed.

WHEN the River and Harbor bill was introduced in Congress it contained a provision to prevent the running of their refuse into public water ways by the large corporations operating along their banks, and by petition of the people along New River, it was included in the list. During the discussion of the bill Gen. Walker offered an amendment to the bill exempting the operators along New River from the penalties prescribed therein and permitting them to continue to discharge their refuse and filth into the river. This is an instance of the manner in which the General looked after the interests of the farmers along that river when it conflicted with the interests of the corporations.

VOTERS of Tazewell county did you send Gen. Walker to Congress to enable him to hire a private secretary at your expense or to look after your interests?

YALE CHURCHMAN for '96—Football and rowing.

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REPUBLICAN (MIS)STATEMENTS.

Senator-elect Wellington, of Maryland, informs a N. Y. World correspondent that Washington and Frederick counties, Md., would each give McKinley 10,000 majority. The gentleman who gave out the above information for publication may know all about the politics of the State referred to, but he seems to forget that in the former county two years ago there was not quite 10,000 votes polled and in the latter there was just about that number. The claims being made all over the country by the Republicans are just about at the same ratio, and still these people pose as exponents of honesty.

WE are pleased to see that stalwart Democratic paper, the Richmond State, once more place itself in line with its Democratic brethren throughout the State. With two such able representatives in Richmond as the Dispatch and the State, the Democrats should be more than able to hold their own, though she had several more mugwump sheets of the same calibre as The Times.

ONE instance of how well Gen. Walker represented his constituents in Congress was shown when he voted with the other Republican members of that body to provide each member a clerk (private secretary) for twelve months in the year at public expense instead of while Congress was in session. That is the way the 51th Congress endeavored to raise revenue to pay public expenses. Private snags seems to be more in its line.

Reminiscent General Walker.

Congressman James A. Walker of the Ninth Virginia District, may be described as a statesman whose future lies behind him, a reminiscent sort of character, who has left some very interesting, though inconsistent tracks on the sand of politics. One of those tracks we have discovered in the American newspaper in Philadelphia, contained in its issue of February 3, 1881, being a reply from General Walker to some questions it had sent him. Since those replies he has changed to be a McKinley tariff Republican, and as the Republican party has changed in nothing—having only in its presidential term attempted to pass a force bill for the South, and its success having only been prevented by two free silver Republican senators. His replies are both interesting and amusing. He says:

"The South is solid against the political heresies and political principles of the Republican party, and not against the North as a section. Southern Democrats as well as Northern Democrats are opposed to the centralizing doctrines and tendencies of the Republican party, which would destroy the last vestige of 'State rights,' and make sovereign States no more than counties. The southern people are, and have always been, opposed to high protective tariffs, to the use of the troops at the polls, and to the subordination of the civil to the military power while all these things have been advocated and upheld by the Republican party."

In some of the paragraphs of his letter the General evidently had the gift of provision of the presidential campaign of 1896, and Mark Hanna's millions. He says:

"You ask me to give you the opinion of the South upon the best means of removing the 'bug bear' (a solid South). The best and only means I know of to remove the frightful spectacle of millions of people voting their honest and sincere political principles at the ballot box is to corrupt them, and by bribery induce them to vote for policy and not for principle."

About the feeling of the Republican party to the South, the General has this plain and accurate estimate to make:

"It is useless for you to deny that if the northern statesmen and the northern press on the Republican side are the true exponents of the Republican feeling, the Republican party of the North 'hate' (yes that is the word) the South and the southern people, and have sworn will, like the dragon's teeth, breed a crop of armed men. The price which the Republican party has always fixed as the equivalent for its ceasing to persecute the South has been an unconditional surrender of its Democratic principles and the adoption of the creed of that party. Thank God, the Democratic white people of the South are not for sale, and all the patronage and all the blandishment of a Republican administration could not make them prove false to their political principles."

As the General is now on a stump assisting the election of McKinley and the restoration of his tariff—the highest ever known in the history of the country—his opinion expressed about the tariff then is not without interest. He says this:

"To a Democratic administration we look for relief from the onerous

and unjust taxes placed upon the industries of the South and from the enormous and grinding impositions placed upon it by a bounty tariff, which puts ruinous open millions annually into the pockets of northern manufacturers at the expense of the southern producer."

The following question and answer on a subject on which the Republican party in Virginia is peculiarly sensitive are to the point:

"7. Has the time come or is it near when the white people of your State will seek affiliation with new parties?"

Answers: "With the Republican or negro party, I answer, NO, NEVER, unless that party changes its principles."

It is to be regretted that General Walker should have so far forgotten the proprieties as to call the Republican party a "negro party." It will give gratuitous and uncalled for pain to the white men in that party, who very naturally cannot see why a party of whom only three fourths are negroes should be called a "negro party." And not only will it do that but it will give pain to those Palmer and Buckner bolters who are on their way to join that party, largely with the patriotic purpose of raising its color to the grade of a third dilution. But the gallant General was always an impetuous sort of person. Of course, since this letter of General Walker was written, there has been a change somewhere, but most certainly not in the Republican party. Not only that party, when last in power, show it by its effort at a force bill, but it emphasized it by turning Democrats out of their seats in the Fifty third Congress without rhyme or reason, and seating negroes in some of their seats forcibly vacated. And so congenial was this work that it stirred up the blood of reconstruction times in the veins of one member of the majority, inducing him to hilariously cry out: "Bring on another nigger." There having been no change in the party of the first part, we can hardly see how the party of the second part—to wit, General James A. Walker, can explain his letter to his Democratic competitor, save by the assurance that "a year ago last spring he began the study of the subject," and is now convinced that Democratic principles are only to be found in Republican platforms.—RICHMOND DISPATCH.

Suppose.

Suppose we were to say that Mr. Bryan, in addressing an audience in New England or in any other section of the country, had said: "During all of Grover Cleveland's years at the head of the government he was dishonoring one of the precious metals, one of our own great products, degrading silver and raising the price gold." Suppose Mr. Bryan had said this, what would the Boltsrats say? Would they denounce him? Would not they do what John Wise, Jr., says can only be done in answering Bryan, throw back their heads, open their mouths, and cry "you're a liar!" Well, Bryan didn't say that; but McKinley did say it in a speech delivered by him at Toledo, Ohio, in 1891. Think of that, Republicans; and join the Republicans, O, Gold Democrat, and weep for this is the man you are both doing your best to elect.

Suppose we were to say that Mr. Bryan had said that President Cleveland had endeavored, even before his inauguration to office, to stop the coinage of silver dollars, and afterwards to the close of his administration, had persistently used his power to that end; that he was determined to contract the circulating medium and to demonize one of the coins of commerce—silver, limit the volume of money among the people and make money scarce and therefore dear; that he endeavored to increase the value of money by being hostile to silver, and in this way sought to diminish everything! Suppose Mr. Bryan had said this? Where is the Republican—where is the Boltocrat—the Goldbug of any kind—that would not now be denouncing him? But Bryan did not say this; McKinley said it in his Toledo speech and when he said it every Republican in the land applauded the utterance. ("and thought it bright.") Truly, times change and the Republicans change with them.—RICHMOND STATE.

MARVELOUS RESULTS.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gundersen, of Dinwiddie, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down with Pneumonia, succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery, it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at A. F. Hargrave's Drug Store, Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

At a meeting of the members of Cedar Bluff Class, held at the B. E. Church South at Cedar Bluff on the evening of the 13th of September 1896, on motion of Thos. A. Gillespie, Thos. A. Repass, Chapman H. Peery and Joseph A. McGuire were appointed a committee on behalf of the class to draft suitable resolutions expressive of the deep regret and sorrow of our church in the loss of venerable brother, Elijah McGuire, whose death occurred at his home at Cedar Bluff this morning at the advanced age of 87 years.

The committee read and offered the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Whereas death has again invaded our membership and claimed for its victim Elijah McGuire its oldest and one of its best members. Therefore be it.

Resolved, That we are grateful to the "Father of old good gifts" for the life that our friend and brother lived before us. Again, in the death of Brother McGuire our church has lost one of its best and life long supporters, our town has lost one of its best men, our country one of its best citizens.

Resolved 2nd, That we the surviving members, strive to imitate his virtues, that we cherish his memory—he was the embodiment of energy, piety and goodness—then may it be said of us that thou hast been faithful.

Resolve 3d, That we sympathize with the bereaved wife and children in this sad bereavement and pray that the Holy Spirit may bind up the broken hearts.

Resolve 4th, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our church conference, a copy be sent to the family, and that copies be sent to the Tazewell papers and Holston Methodist for publication.

Signed: T. D. STRADER,
CHAPMAN H. PEERY,
THOS. A. REPASS,
JOS. A. MCGUIRE.

SENTENCED.

In a temple of finance on Avenue Four
A silver and gold dollar met:
The gold one exclaimed, with a glance
at the door,
"Why, haven't you gone away yet?
I thought you were sentenced in '73
To serve with the poor and distressed,
And here you appear in the household
with me,
Whose blood is the purest and best
I mingled with Princes at home and
abroad
And serve the elite of the land;
No Workman who carries a pick or a
hoe
Feels me with a toil begrimed hand,
While you are not welcome where fresh
juice holds sway,
And don't go to Europe at all.
So with the poor working class you'll
have to stay—
The Rich folks don't want you to call."

The poor silver dollar retorted with
scorn:
"Thy true I'm the working man's
friend;
I've faithfully served him ever since I
was born
And faithfully will to the end.
I've fed and clothed millions and built
happy homes,
I'm welcome in workshop or mill,
And when the great era of free coinage
comes
The workmen's pockets I'll fill,
I don't run to Europe at every small
brezoo,
Deserting the land of my birth,
But circulate freely wherever I please
And stay in the best land on earth.
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A Reader.

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COMMISSIONERS NOTICE.

Law Office of V. L. Sexton, Tazewell, Va., Sept. 23, 1896. E. McGuire and son, vs.) In Chancery, John C. Blankenship.

The parties to the above mentioned suit are hereby notified that I have fixed on the 12th day of October 1896 at my Law Office, Tazewell Va., as the time and place, fixed to take the account ordered by the Circuit Court of Tazewell county, on the 28 day of August 1896. At which time and place they are required to attend.

V. L. Sexton,
Special Commissioner.

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